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SOME ILLUSTRATIVE MATERIAL AVAILABLE FOR TEACHERS OF TEXTILES AND CLOTHING

Note: This is a list compiled from information received informally by the Textile Division, Bureau of Home Economics, United States Department of Agriculture. No effort has been made to include all material available and since such service is often withdrawn without notice, it may not be strictly accurate. Most of the items will be furnished free upon request, but there is a nominal charge in some cases. Inquiries should be addressed to the manufacturers listed. See also the list of exhibits in the book entitled, "Guide to Literature of Home and Family Life," by Annie Isabel Robertson (J. B. Lippincott Co., Philadelphia, Pa.)

COUTON

- Two cotton bolls and a small quantity of cotton seed. Office of Crop Acclimatization, Bureau Plant Industry, U. S. Dept. Agr., Washington, D. C.
- Cabinet exhibit of cotton and wool. Pacific Hills, Lawrence, Mass.

 (Hust be requested by principal of school with promise to make it a part of the school equipment).
- Exhibit showing processes in the manufacture of cotton blankets.

 Educational Director, The Esmond Mills, 21 E. 26th St., New York City.
- Exhibit showing steps in the manufacture of cloth from raw cotton. Lowell Textile School, Lowell, Mass.

FLAX AND LINEN

- Exhibit showing processes in the manufacture of linen threads, yarns, and twines. Smith and Dove, Andover, Mass.
- Samples showing the manufacture of linen rugs from flax fiber, and literature describing the various processes. Klearflax Rug Co., Duluth, Minn.
- Specimen cabinet of linen threads in different stages of manufacture.

 The Linen Thread Co., 96 and 98 Franklin St., New York City.



RAYON

Exhibit for public schools and colleges, Du Pont Rayon Co., Station B, Buffalo, N. Y.

SILK

- Silk culture cabinet. Booklet on the origin, culture and manufacture of silk. Set of 8 cards showing the steps in the manufacture of silk. Corticelli Silk Co., 68 Essex St., Poston, Mass.
- Permanent and traveling exhibits showing silk manufacture, textile design and historic costumes. Booklet giving a short description of silk manufacture. Series of charts dealing with silk from the cocoon stage to the finished product. Cheney Dros., 4th Ave., and 18th St., New York City.
- Silk cabinet, chart and book entitled "Silk culture and its manufacture shown progressively". Belding Bros. and Co., Rockville, Conn.
- Booklets entitled "The romantic story of silk" and "Modes for the dress-maker". The Silk Assoc. of America, 468 4th Ave. at 31st St.,
 New York City.
- Educational exhibits showing production of silk. Will also provide live silk worms to schools wishing to raise them. T. A. Meleher, 3513 10th St., M. W., Washington, D. C.

MOOT

- Wool exhibit on card. North Star Woolen Mills Co., Minneapolis, Minn.
- Exhibits of steps from wool to finished blanket. Kenwood Mills, Albany, N. Y.
- Booklet entitled "From wool to cloth". The American Woolen Co., Shawsheen Village, Andover, Mass.

MISCELLANEOUS

- A few charts on textiles and clothing are available through the Office of Agricultural Instruction, Extension Service, U. S. Dept. Agr., Washington, D. C. Address inquiries to that office.
- Children's Clothing. Booklet entitled 'Baby's outfit'; also a demonstration outfit showing baby's larette. Earnshaw Sales Col., 325 E. Jackson Blvd., Chicago, Ill.
- Cotton. Booklet entitled "Ming or Commoner." Bank of the Hanhattan Co., New York City.



- Dress Fastenings. Booklet by H. H. Hanchester. Waldes and Co., Long Island City, H. Y.
- Floor Coverings. Booklet entitled "Carpets and Rugs", by Otis Allen Kenyon. Hoover Hig. Co., Forth Canton, Ohio.
- Footwear. Booklet entitled "Goodyear Welt Shoes, How They are Made". The United Shoe Machinery Co., 205 Lincoln St., Boston, Mass.
 - A set of six charts illustrating correct and incorrect footwear in its relation to correct posture and healthy feet.
 - Leaflets entitled "How are your feet?" and "The Foot is the Foundation of Health" which describe exercises for the feet and stress healthful footwear. Cantilever Corporation, 410 Willoughby Ave., Brooklyn, F. Y.
 - Foot posters -- Set of 5 charts showing correct and incorrect footwear. "Two feet of happiness and two feet of unhappiness" set of 13 posters showing how two feet escaped the cramping conditions of life in the stylish shoe. The Woman's Press, Fational Magazine of the Y.W.C.A., 600 Lexington Ave., New York City.
 - Exhibit and handbook on hosicry. Brown Durrell Co., 11-19 W. 19th St., New York City.
 - Booklet entitled "The Shoes of happiness". Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio.
 - Exhibit of tanning materials used in the manufacture of leather and a booklet "The romance of leather". American Leather Producers, 1. Park Ave., New York City.
- Furs. Booklet entitled "How to Judge furs," by Harold H. Becher. Federal Fur Dyeing Corp., Brooklyn, H. Y.
- Gloves. Lessons on glove craft. Associated Glove Crafts, 395 Broadway, New York City.
- Linoleum. Exhibit of raw materials used in the making of linoleum with booklet "The Story of Linoleum," Sales Promotion Dept., Armstrong Cork Co., Liberty and May Sts., Lancaster, Pa.
- Patterns. Posters and pattern sheets. Vogue Pattern Service, Graybar Bldg., Lexington ive. at 13th St., New York City.
- Textiles. Collection of fabrics owned by M. D. C. Crawford, editor of Daily News Record, New York City, will be leaned for large exhibits under special conditions.
 - Booklet on the manufacture, dyeing, printing and finishing of textiles. Pacific Mills, Lawrence, Mass.

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- Booklet entitled "Three textile row materials and their manufacture".

 International Acceptance Bank, 31 Pine St., New York City.
- Small pamphlet and 10 large plates on tertile designs by Theodore M. Dillaway. Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, Mass.
- Underwear. Wall charts on knit underwear. Associated Knit Underwear Industry, 395 Broadway, New York City.
- Y.rns. Sample folder of handicraft yarns. Emile Bornat Co., Jamaica Plains, Mass.

SOME MOTION PICTURE FILMS AND LINTERN SLIDES AVAILABLE ON TEXTILES

- .. list of the motion picture films and lantern slide sets available from the U.S. Department of Agriculture may be obtained by writing the Office of Agricultural Instruction, Extension Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Vashington, D.C.
- The United Projector and Film Corporation, 228 Franklin St., Buffalo, N. Y., has a large number of films to rent.
- Bureau of Commercial Economics, 1108 16th St., N. W., Washington, D. C., has films available.
- "Civilization's fabric." (2 recls). Converse and Co., 88 Worth St., New York City.
- "The Romance of Cloth." (1 recl). Fational Motion Picture Bureau, Indianapolis, Ind.
- "The Romance of Silk." (2 recls). Belding Bros. and Co., Rockville, Conn.
- "Making of Wool". (film). American Woolen Co., Shawshoen Village, Indover, Mass.
- "Birth of a Hat." (film). For information address Ind. and Eng. Chemistry, 706 Mills Bldg., Washington, D. C.
- "The Textile Industry," "Fibers and How they are Obtained." (lantern slides). For use in New York State. State Department of Education, Division of Visual Instruction, Albany, N. Y.
- "Laundering in It's Relation to the Conservation of Wabrics." (film).
 Y. M. C. A. Hotion Picture Bureau, 120 W. 41st St., New York City.



- "Cotton Converting." (film). Cotton Convertors Assoc., 291 Broadway, New York City.
- "The Story of Asbestos." (film). Bureau of Mines, Department of Commerce, 4800 Forbes St., Pittsburgh, Pa.
- "The Story of Leather." (Lantern slides). American Leather Producers, l Park Ave., New York City.
- "The Romance of Rayon." (film). The Viscose Co., 171 Indison Ave., New York City.

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